

David J. Bradley, Clerk

Defendants.


Second, anticipating the Court's severance of the indemnification claims, Plaintiff and Defendants jointly move to stay this case (Dkt. No. 255). A stay would avoid needlessly duplicative discovery in the event that Defendants prevail in their appeal of this Court's Order granting summary judgment. Because a stay is in the

interests of equity and judicial economy, the Court **STAYS** this action until the resolution of any appeal in the new cause of action.

The Third-Party Defendants' Motion to Sever (Dkt. No. 253) and Plaintiff's and Defendants' Motion to Stay (Dkt. No. 255) are hereby **GRANTED**. The Clerk of Court is **DIRECTED** to open a new case for the claims brought by Defendants Benteler Automotive Corporation and Benteler Automotive-Mexico against the Third-Party Defendants in the Third-Party Complaint (Dkt. No. 195). This new case incorporates this Court's Order granting Third-Party Defendant's motions for summary judgment (Dkt. No. 252) and as such, also incorporates docket numbers 195, 201–02, 205, 215, 218–19, 232–35, 238–40, and 242–47.

It is so **ORDERED**.

SIGNED December 15, 2020.



Marina Garcia Marmolejo
United States District Judge